

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : Docket No.: OT-4328
Frank W. Adams, et al. : Date: July 21, 1999
Serial No.: 09/163,259 : Group No.: 3652
Filed: September 29, 1998 : Examiner: S. McAllister

Title: ELEVATOR SYSTEM HAVING DRIVE MOTOR LOCATED BETWEEN
ELEVATOR CAR AND HOISTWAY SIDEWALL

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

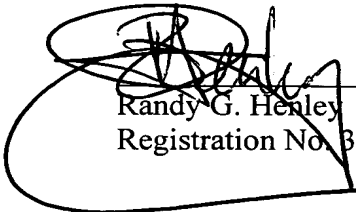
In response to the Restriction Requirement dated July 16, 1999, Applicants elect Species I, drawn to Figure 2, for prosecution on the merits. This election is made without traverse.

Claims readable on Species I include claims 1-6 and 8.

Please charge any fee for this statement to Deposit Account No. 15-0750, Order No. OT-4328.

Respectfully submitted,

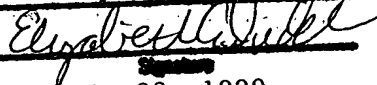
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